

D. J. CALLAHAN TO  
QUIT W. S. S. POST

Daniel J. Callahan, who has occupied the directorship of the District of Columbia War Savings Committee since its organization early in December of last year, has formally tendered his resignation to Carter Glass, Secretary of the Treasury. His retirement becomes effective with the close of the year.

While the appointment of Mr. Callahan's successor has not been announced, it is expected to come through George J. Seay, governor of the Federal Reserve Bank for the Fifth district, who now has charge of all war loan activities for this territory. Governor Seay, when informed of Mr. Callahan's intention to relinquish his duties, urged upon him the resignation of the post, but the pressure of his business, which he has been compelled to neglect for the last year, compelled him to decline. "By stepping down from my office as head of War Savings activities in the District of Columbia," stated Mr. Callahan today, "my only regret is that I must do so without the satisfaction of knowing that the District of Columbia's quota has actually been achieved. However, while exact figures will not be available before January 10, there is every reason to believe that this city has again gone over the top, just as it has in so many other instances in the support of the war effort."

"I feel, however, that what success we have achieved in our work is attributable to the wholehearted cooperation on the part of my associates on the committee, and the business interests of the city, who have been tireless in giving of their time, energy and brains."

"The four newspapers of Washington have been particularly generous to us in the way of publicity, and before retiring to private life again, I wish to voice my appreciation."

"Whether or not the District raises its quota of \$7,250,000, maturity value of \$14,500,000, it is certain there is no doubt but that the War Savings plan has been a complete success in every way. It has taught the lesson of thrift to those who never before were so, and will have results that will leave their permanent good effects."

\$100,000 MORE W. S. S.

SALES NEEDED TODAY

TO REACH 1918 QUOTA

"Buy all the War Savings Stamps you possibly can before midnight!" is the appeal made by the District of Columbia War Savings Committee, in its eleventh-hour effort to achieve the 1918 quota.

So dubious is the outlook, that the members of the committee are not overlooking the sale of a single stamp and are prepared to work unceasingly until the stroke of twelve tomorrow ushers in the New Year.

In addition to the patriotic side attending the purchase of these "baby bonds," it is pointed out that they represent an investment of the most appealing sort. Stamps bought during the month of December at \$4.25 will be redeemed at \$5 on January 1, 1922—just four years later—an interest rate of approximately 4.55 percent. On the other hand, if the purchase is delayed until next month the rate of interest will be proportionately lower, for the reason that the investment will cover the full term of five years.

The District of Columbia's quota for the entire year is approximately \$7,250,000, and it is estimated that sales made up to midnight Saturday fall about \$100,000 short of this figure.

CARIB'S CARGO SHIFTING;  
STEAMER GOES TO RESCUE

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, Dec. 31.—A wireless message received here last night from the American steamer Carib reported that the steamer was in latitude 41.58, longitude 58.20, with her cargo shifting and breaking loose.

A later message intercepted here was sent from another steamer to the Carib, said that the second steamer would arrive at the same location about 8 o'clock last night, and advising the Carib to show lights and send up rockets.

The Carib sailed from Nantes on December 19 for Norfolk. The position given is about 350 miles south-east of Halifax.

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COME BACK

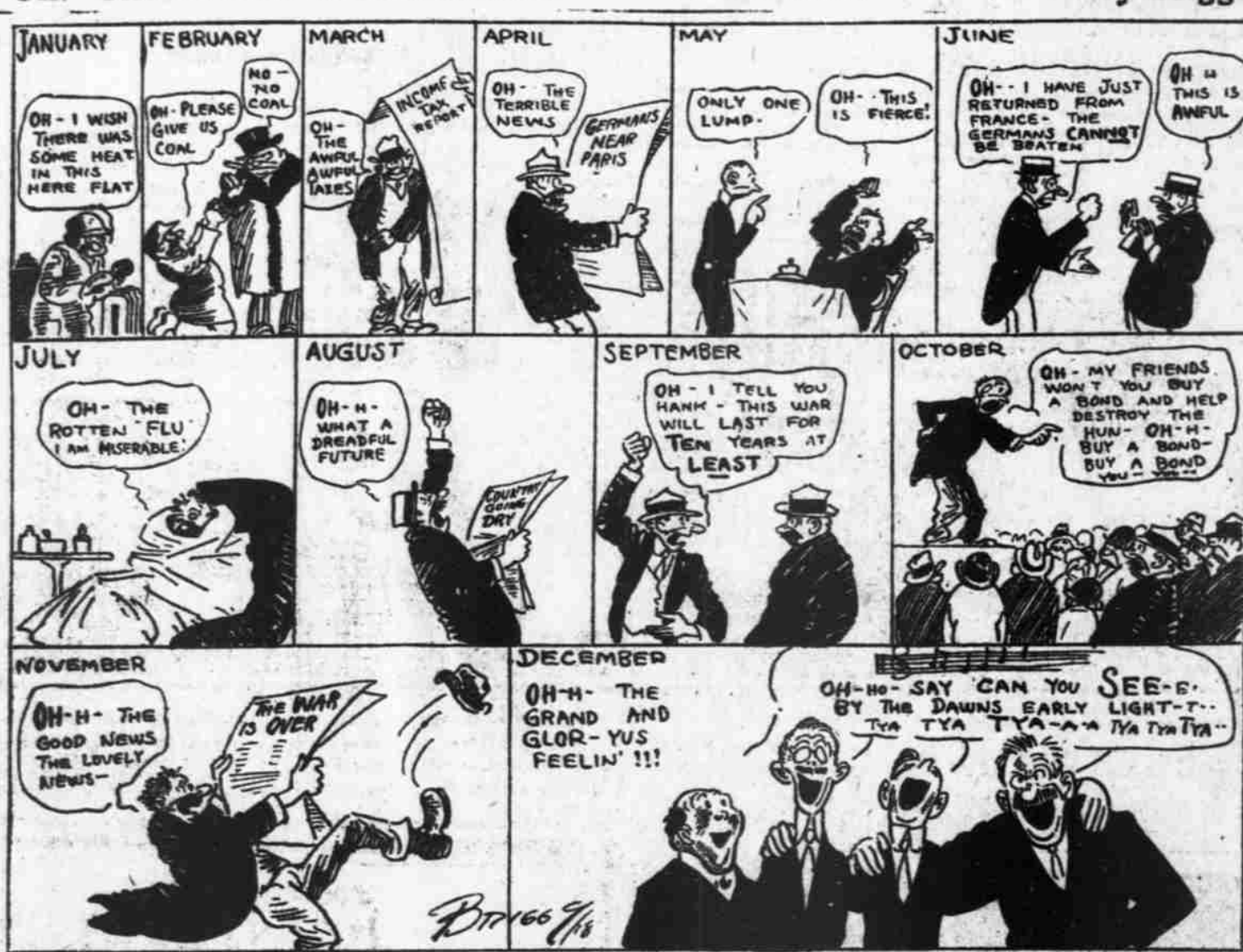
Public Health Service Says Epidemic Caused 350,000 Deaths in United States Since Sept. 15.

Grip Is Breaking Out Again in Many Sections.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Between 200,000 and 350,000 deaths from influenza and pneumonia have occurred among the civilian population of the United States since September 15, according to the estimates of the public health service. Those estimates were based on reports from cities and states keeping accurate records and public health officials believe they are conservative. The epidemic still persists, but deaths are less numerous, according to reports reaching here. The disease is breaking out again in many communities throughout the country, but a general revival of severe epidemic conditions is not expected.

While the epidemic has passed, the danger from the grip germ is still here. If you catch cold or allow yourself to become weak and run down you are exposed to this danger. This is the time to keep Father John's Medicine on hand and to be on hand when it is needed. It is a cold, if you need a tonic no better medicine can be found because the elements of which Father John's Medicine is composed are all pure, wholesome and nourishing and have been proven by scientific tests to be of the greatest nutritive value. The fact that Father John's Medicine is guaranteed free from alcohol or dangerous drugs in any form makes it the safe medicine for every member of the family from the youngest to the oldest. Get a bottle today.

## Oh! The Terrible Review of 1918

JEWISH FUND DRIVE  
EXTENDED 5 DAYS

Is Washington going to fall in raising its quota of \$80,000 for the Jewish Relief Fund?

A report from the chairman of the committee in charge indicates that the city is falling behind. With the drive nearly finished, only two-thirds of the quota has been raised. Owing to the absence from town of many prominent men and women who are interested in the fund, the local committee has decided to extend the drive until January 4, thus giving Washingtonians an opportunity to start the new year by subscribing to the fund.

Five more days will be added by this arrangement, and will give this city an opportunity to come to the front with other large cities which have oversubscribed their quotas. The committee realizes that holiday time is always a poor season to conduct such a campaign, but it was made necessary by reason of the fact that the Jewish Relief Fund drive was postponed until after the Red Cross and the United War Work Committee drives were completed. Jewish workers aided as much as possible in those drives, and now they feel that the people of this city should aid them.

Women who have been soliciting subscriptions in local theaters, hotels, and department stores are planning to redouble their efforts during the remainder of the drive.

Last night the young people of the city came to the front when they held a big dance at the Old Masonic Temple, under the auspices of the Young Women's Hebrew Association.

Lee Baumgarten, president of the Hebrew Charities, made a brief talk in which he urged pledges to the fund.

Mrs. Louis Kramer was chairman of the dance committee. It is estimated that about \$500 was raised. The fact that many thought the dance had been postponed on account of the recent fire in the temple cut down attendance, but this deficit was made up in enthusiasm and whole-hearted response to the appeals for contributions.

Following are the names of those who subscribed more than \$100 to the fund yesterday: Louis Simon, \$500; William Hahn & Co., \$500; Connecticut Pie Company, \$100; Powhatan Hotel Company, \$100; E. Heidenheimer, \$100; Benoit Baer, Jr., \$100, and Harry Kaufman, \$100.

"My arrest was a surprise to me—I don't know what the charges are all about," he declared today Capt. Charles A. Ritzman, of the motor transport service of the army, regarding his arrest with James G. Owen, 1920 New Hampshire avenue northwest, on charges of conspiring to defraud the Government.

Captain Ritzman and Owen, who was in the automobile accessory business, yesterday were each released on \$2,000 bail. They will get a hearing tomorrow before United States Commissioner Mason N. Rich. It is alleged automobile tire disappeared from the Government's storeroom at Seventh and R streets, and Owen is said to have purchased some at about one-fourth their real value.

Have You Subscribed To  
Jewish Relief Fund?

If you have not subscribed to the fund for the relief of starving Jews, here is printed a coupon which may be mailed to the local fund's treasurer, R. B. H. Lyon, 701 Evans Building.

Name.....  
Address.....

Amount.....

VEHICLES INJURE 5  
DURING DAY HERE

Mrs. Rodie Nephew, thirty-two years old, of 406 Maryland avenue northeast, is in a serious condition at the Emergency Hospital from a fracture of the skull sustained last night when she was "knocked down" by an automobile. The police say the machine was operated by Joseph Herbert, of 1823 Riggs street northwest. Mrs. Nephew was crossing at Four-and-a-half street and Maryland avenue southwest when she was struck.

While playing in the street at Newton and Warder streets northwest yesterday, Lucy Talbert, thirteen years old, of 467 Luray place northwest, was knocked down by a bicycle ridden by Fred Bryan, of 2325 Eleventh street northwest. The child was removed to her home.

While crossing at Fourteenth and N streets northwest yesterday, Miss Irene Huse, twenty years old, of 1349 Columbia road northwest, was knocked down by an automobile operated by Paul W. Walker, of 2333 Newton street northwest. Miss Huse was injured on the body and was removed to her home.

Private Harold Rotger, of the Ordnance Department, stationed at Camp Humphreys, Va., was knocked down by an automobile at Fourteenth and Pennsylvania avenue northwest and slightly injured on the body and head. He was removed to the Emergency Hospital.

Marshall Hickey, fifteen years old, of 1803 Second street southwest, was injured slightly yesterday when he ran into an automobile operated by Robley Dickinson, of 1235 Kearney street northeast, at Second and H streets southwest.

Alleging that her husband has an income of \$1,200 a month and that "he offered to pay her \$15,000 if she would procure a divorce from him," Mrs. Maude L. Mickey has filed suit for limited divorce and alimony against Robert K. Mickey, who, she says, is interested with his brother in the General Shipbuilding Company at Alexandria, Va., alleging cruelty and non-support.

Mrs. Mickey, who is represented by Attorneys Lambert and Yeatman, alleges that October last her husband ran into her to meet him at the Raleigh Hotel, where he endeavored to persuade her to procure a divorce from him, but that she refused.

"He thereupon informed her," she alleges, "he would have nothing more to do with her and told her that he would get the divorce and would use any means that he saw fit to use."

"SHOCK" ARTILLERY  
WAS YANKEE PLAN

CAMP MEADE, Md., Dec. 31.—The story of a military surprise in the nature of a "shock" division of artillery, which was prevented by the armistice, is told by nearly a score of artillery officers from the "Sunset Division," of California, including several figures of national prominence, who have arrived at Camp Meade. They landed in New York a few days ago from France, where they underwent intensive training, though deprived of their chance at front-line warfare.

Among them are Major Stewart Edward White, novelist, magazine writer and author; Capt. Peter B. Kyme, short story writer, and several noted lawyers.

Although the remainder of the division is being sent across the continent to the Pacific coast, they were allowed to remain in the East for demobilization.

The Sunset Division was trained in France to become shock troops in a method departing from usual maneuvers. They were to be brought up to the front at night at a point where the enemy was strongest and then concentrate their battering at the German defenses. They were to withdraw at daybreak and attack an entirely different sector of the Hun's line at another time.

With their artillery at night they were to give the heaviest possible fire at points where German advances threatened, and where the Huns were quiet the Sunset cannons were to "start something." But they missed the chance.

While in training in California the artillery branch of the Sunset Division was busied by moving pictures and acted for many war pictures. In one of her films Mary Pickford was assisted by the division and the artillerymen elected her "honorary colonel."

Nine more conscientious objectors are to be discharged. They are: Maxwell S. Simpson, Joseph H. Greenwald, Harrison James L. Bohrer, Louis R. Welser, Henry Stahler, Harry J. Maximilian, Thomas F. Hughes and Rowland J. Reichard.

FORD PETITIONS TO  
SAVE ALL BALLOTS

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Dec. 31.—A petition to restrain city clerks from destroying ballots cast in the Senatorial election in Michigan last November has been filed in Federal court here in behalf of Henry Ford, who, according to the official canvass of the vote was defeated by the election by Commander Truman B. Newberry, Republican. The petition is filed, it is stated, because Mr. Ford intends to ask the Senate to order a recount of the votes.

Under the Michigan election laws a recount of votes cast in a Senatorial election can be obtained only through action by the United States Senate.

Senator C. W. Sessom, in United States district court here, has issued an order to all city clerks in the western district, including upper Michigan, directing them to show cause why they should not be restrained from destroying the ballots. The order fixes January 7 as the date for the hearing. It is understood similar action will be started shortly in the eastern district of the State.

T. R. THANKS VETERANS FOR HONORING QUENTIN

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—"I very deeply appreciate the honor you do me, and I am glad to have you name the pool in honor of my son," Col. Theodore Roosevelt says in a letter of appreciation to Joseph N. Martin, organizer of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, for Brooklyn, where Post No. 10 has been named after the late Lieut. Quentin Roosevelt.

SAYS MARKET BILL  
IS 'JOHN WALTERED'

The Center Market bill has been "John Waltered."

This is the Ben Johnsonesque way of saying that the bill which passed the House last session to have the Government take over the Center Market has been put to sleep in the Senate District Committee, of which Senator John Walter Smith of Maryland is chairman.

Congressman Johnson, chairman of the House District Committee, who does not get on well with certain Senators when it comes to District matters, says there are two methods of disposing in the Senate of bills intended to be helpful to the poor people here. One is quietly to put them to sleep, which he calls "John Waltering" them. The other is to blow them to bits, which he calls to "Pomerene" them.

Mr. Johnson is preparing to air his views on the market question in the House later.

ASKS SEPARATION  
FROM COMMANDER

Comdr. Hollis T. Winston, U. S. N., was named defendant in a suit filed by Mrs. Marie E. Winston for a limited divorce and alimony, alleging cruelty, drunkenness, and nonsupport.

A rule was issued requiring Commander Winston to show cause why his wife's petition should not be granted.

Mrs. Winston says that they were married in this city September 1, 1917, and that there are no children. She alleges that her husband deserted her while he was stationed at the Brooklyn navy yard March 20 last, and that she was compelled to return to her parents' home at 1235 Nineteenth street northwest. Mrs. Winston alleges that her husband is "addicted to use of alcoholic drinks," and that he disappeared from the house during the night recently.

Mrs. Winston says her husband's income per month is about \$500. Attorneys Lambert & Yeatman appear for Mrs. Winston.

REDS BOMB PHILA.  
OFFICIALS' HOMES

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 31.—Police today are standing guard over the homes of United States Senator Penrose, Mayor Smith and judges of the Federal court following the bombing shortly before last midnight of the homes of Justice Robert Von Moschisler, of the State Supreme Court; Judge Frank L. Gorman, of the Municipal Court, and Acting Superintendent of Police Mills.

Bolshevists, who left scraps of paper in front of the Mills' home, are believed to have placed the shrapnel bombs in the three homes. The writing on several pieces of paper expressed hatred of "soldiers, judges, priests and parasites."

The explosions, in widely separated parts of the city, occurred at about the same hour. Their forces was so great that the occupants of the houses were hurled from their beds, but none sustained serious injury.

Practically every window in the block in which the home of Justice Von Moschisler is located was shattered. Mrs. Moschisler was struck on the head by fragments of the bomb.

Acting Superintendent Mills was blown from his bed, sustaining slight cuts and bruises.

Police have been thrown about the homes of many prominent citizens as a precaution.

No arrests had been made this morning.

SAYS HUSBAND ORDERED  
HER OUT; ASKS DIVORCE

Mrs. Florence Dyer has filed suit for a limited divorce and alimony against Dr. John C. Dyer, 1801 G street northwest, alleging cruelty and nonsupport.

Mrs. Dyer, who was married July 11, 1897, in Toledo, Ohio, and have one child, Mrs. Dyer, who is represented by Attorneys Lambert and Yeatman, says her husband broke down in 1910 and that she has been compelled to use a wheel chair ever since. She states that the home of her parents, with whom she had made her home, burned down, leaving her homeless, and that she wrote to her husband that she and their baby would join him in this city. She alleges that when they arrived he ordered her out of the house.

Mrs. Dyer says her husband has a monthly income of about \$300.

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